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SPRING 1881!

Is fast approaching, filling the heart of everybody with joy Nature is casting off her gloomy garments to exchange them for bright colors, compelling mankind to follow suit. As a gentle reminder,

B. STINE, the "Boss Clothier" of Decatur,

Opens this Spring's Season with an

IMMENSE LINE OF

Men's,

Youths,'

Boys'

AND

Children's

CLOTHING!

IN ALL COLORINGS. LATEST STYLES IN PATTERNS,

As well as novelty in cut, suitable for all conditions of mankind, selected with the greatest of care as to perfection in fit, durability in material, as well as suitable trimmings, and substantial and artistic workmanship, bought for cash, which simply means that we buy where we please, and not as some of our competitors, where they can, thus giving our customers the benefit of the very lowest market prices for first-class clothing.

To substantiate this fact, we guarantee, as heretofore, every garment we sell as represented; we guarantee the price; we guarantee the quality; and in each and every case where a customer is dissatisfied with his bargain, we refund the money cheerfully.

In connection with our clothing department we carry an immense line of

GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS!

HATS, CAPS, TRUNKS, ETC.

A hearty welcome to all, is the greeting of

B. STINE,

The "Boss Clothier," Central Block, Old Square, Decatur, Ill.

Mar1,81,d&w

Merchant Tailoring.

NEW GOODS!

Owing to the LARGE TRADE which we have established by giving to our customers at

BED ROCK PRICES!

The Mos' Stylish and

PERFECT FITTING GARMENT

To be had in the city.

We have just received a CHOICE SELECTION of SPRING SUITINGS, EXCLUSIVELY

FOREIGN GOODS!

Which are now ready for inspection.

J. FOLEY.

Feb. 4 d&w1f

LOOK HERE.

I have just opened a small stand on the southwest corner of the Old Square, where I will sell Tobaccos, Cigars, none but the best quality, all manufactured in Decatur, Daily Papers, from Chicago, St. Louis and New York—German and English,—Writing Papers, Pens, Ink, Pencils, and, as soon as spring and the weather permits, Eggs, Butter and Garden-Stuff, which will be bought and sold for as little profit as possible. I will pay cash for everything I buy. I will look for numbers of acquaintances I have got in the country to come and see me.

M. FORSTMEYER.

DECATUR REVIEW.

S. S. JACK.

If any of the subscribers to the REVIEW fail to get their papers regularly and promptly, they will confer a favor by leaving word at the office at once, or by dropping a postal card stating the fact. A change of carriers in the second ward last week has been the cause of mistakes there, for the reason that the old carrier would not show the new boy the route. This will be remedied in a day or two. We are anxious that the REVIEW be delivered promptly and regularly.

WANTS TO KNOW!

A couple of our most intelligent colored men called upon us yesterday, and expressed a wish that we should ask the *Republican* if it was in favor of the enforcement of the civil rights bill in Decatur. They said that one of their number had been refused a ticket to a place of public amusement, and they were anxious to know whether this was generally indorsed by their Republican friends, who teach that Democrats are their natural born and only enemies, and are such warm friends about election time. Will the *Republican* answer this question, and show by its acts that it is the special friend of the colored men?

"OUR *non*-partisan neighbor wants to know, you know, whether being a republican makes a man more competent to fill an office than if he were a democrat. Bless his soul, has he never found an answer to that question yet? Why the people of the United States have been answering it in the affirmative for the last twenty years, and still our neighbor pretends to want a reply to his conundrum."—*Republican.*

Our *partisan* neighbor is pretty smart, but in slang phrase it "bites off more than it can chew." In 1874 the people of the United States decided by an overwhelming vote that there should be a change. In 1876 there was a like result, but by the use of a fraudulent returning board and other corrupt means, the people were cheated out of their rights and Hayes was counted in. Very few republicans deny this now, and they nearly all despise Hayes because of it, although he made a fair president. It may be comforting to the *Republican* to think that it is better socially, morally and politically than its democratic neighbors, yet the great mass of the people who do not care who holds the offices and who sup the pap, will still believe that all the virtues are not confined to one political party.

THE *Republican* talks about partisan nominations in Mt. Zion, Wheatland and Long Creek. It must not forget that has been the only advocate of this course, and that this demand for Decatur township has stirred up the same feeling elsewhere. The REVIEW has never had a word in its advocacy anywhere, and thinks there is just as good material for 'squires and constables in one party as in the other. If it comes to this, that when a man seeks the protection of the law, he must first find out the politics of the 'squire and constable, then justice becomes a farce. The only safety is in feeling that politics should not have anything, and has nothing, to do with the administration of justice.

THE *Republican* talks about the republicans who are not in accord with the partisan programme, as "weak enough to allow themselves to be used." The brethren who believe in non partisan justice are to be known as *weak*.

MAHONE made a speech yesterday. He did not make Riddleberger's record any purer. The repudiating senator will continue to hold the position of chief solicitor in the treachery department.

THE *Republican* cracked the party lash about it in loyal style yesterday. It insists that the nominations of last Friday night shall be taken straight.

No wonder Mahone is sick. Judas hanged himself; Arnold died with remorse; Mahone has the symptoms of some future trouble.

A Card.

The undersigned wish to call attention to the fact that they are the only exclusive dealers in Carpets, Wall Paper and Curtains in Central Illinois. For fourteen years this business has been our study. We control a line of Special styles, not found in the West, except in our hands. We have a full corps of competent paper-hangers, and one of the finest decorators in the United States in our employ, and we propose to give the people of Decatur and surrounding towns a class of decorating never before produced in the West. It will interest you to see styles of workmanship at our store.

ABLE & LOCKE.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

WAR IN THE WIND.

Significant Demonstration by the Greek Government.

Turkey Preparing Rapidly for Hostilities.

A Plan for Representation of the People Talked of by the Czar.

Evacuation of Candahar—European News—Important Cablegrams.

Afghanistan.

LONDON, March 28.—A correspondent at Calcutta says the impression grows stronger, whatever the government intends, doing, it will now be found impossible to evacuate Candahar before autumn. The season is so far advanced it would be dangerous to march the troops to India. The political outlook is so doubtful General Hume refused to allow the departure of the regiments already ordered to start.

Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 28.—There are continual rumors of General Melikoff's resignation. It is belived the emperor has ordered a ukase to be prepared convoking commissioners to discuss the question of the representation of the people on state questions.

The Prince of Wales will to-day confer the Order of the Garter on the Czar.

England.

LONDON, March 28.—Information in the hands of the police strongly tends to confirm the complicity of three American Irishmen, named Mooney, O'Donnell and Coleman, in the recent attempt to blow up the Mansion House. Although the extradition treaties do not cover the matter, the detectives who have been sent to the continent to seek Mooney and O'Donnell, will rely only upon the good offices of the authorities there not to place legal difficulties in the way of their arrest.

Greece.

ATHENS, March 28.—On the 6th of April, the anniversary of Greek independence, a grand review will be held when the King will present the colors to regiments composing the garrison of Athens and selected detachments from other regiments. The meaning of this act and the reasons for the choice of this occasion are obvious. The ceremony will be followed by orders for the departure of various corps for their alloted stations on the frontier.

Turkey.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 28.—Great activity prevails in the preparations for the defense of Volo. The work of placing torpedoes has commenced. The troops have occupied Trikere, on the Turkish side of the entrance of the Gulf of Volo, and an earthwork is being erected there.

Italy.

ROME, March 28.—A lady obtained a private audience with the Pope and warned him the day and the hour were fixed for the murder of himself and Cardinal Pecci.

WASHINGTON.

Traitor Mahone Talks Glibly of Duty and Conscience.

Proceedings of the Senate—Nominations—Capital News.

Mahone's Speech.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Mr. Mahone's speech was the feature of the day, but nothing like nor as sensational as his first. The senate was crowded all expecting a sharp war of words, but the democrats did not interrupt, it apparently being understood among them to let him alone. About 2:30 p. m. Mahone thoroughly warmed up and frequently left the manuscript to speak extemporaneously. He defended Riddleberger and said he was made of sterner stuff than the democrats think. Mahone attacked Senator Johnson pretty severely, saying Johnson was elected to the senate because he had no record and could again be elected on the same ground as he had done nothing. Towards 3 o'clock the attention at first paid Mahone became distracted, and the conversation on the floor and in the galleries caused confusion. Senator Mahone's speech has apparently had the effect of strengthening the determination of the democrats in the fight. They consider it an insult on the entire democracy and specially on the South, and say they will never yield and allow the election of Mahone's friend Riddleberger. The feeling has grown bitter now that even if Riddleberger should be withdrawn, it is doubtful if the democrats would cease filibustering. Voorhees, Brown, and other democratic senators attacked by Mahone will reply. Voorhees has been collecting Mahone's past history and will make, it is said, a severe speech.

The republicans still declare their determination to fight the thing out if it takes all summer.

Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague occupied a seat in the senate gallery to-day.

Badeau Declines.

WASHIGTON, March 28.—Gen. Adam Badeau has positively declined the position of Charge d' Affairs at Denmark. The president will withdraw the nomination.

Nominated.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The president nominated Wm. H. Craig for postmaster of Albany, N. Y. Craig is the present postmaster.

Bogus Butter.

NEW YORK, March 28.—The assembly committee continued the investigation on the subject of counterfeit butter and cheese. This morning Gilbert T. Henshaw, produce broker, testified that he had visited a number of oleomargarine factories and found oleomargarine butter was made from peanut lard and oils, alum and acids. In some factories the employes were exceedingly filthy, some working half naked and others wearing an old rag about the loins.

Castigating a Bully.

CLEVELAND, O., March 28.—A bully from Hayesville, Ohio, went to Londonville, and among other reprehensible acts, insulted the editors of two papers published there. Finally the town marshal arrested him, but half a dozen citizens took him away, and after a liberal castigating put a rope around the bully's neck, led him beyond the town line and made him swear never to show his face again in Londonville.

Smothered to Death.

CAIRO, March 28.—A laborer named Murphy, while in a state of intoxication, laid down in a car of oats last night and was smothered to death.

Sentenced to be Hanged.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., March 58.—James Walsh, who killed his sweetheart, Barbara Groenthal, was sentenced to be hanged May 20th.

Gold Imports.

NEW YORK, March 28.—The City of Richmond brought $205,000 specie. The Arizona brought $500,000 in gold.

Jewett Declines.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Hugh J. Jewett declines the presidency of the world's fair commission.

Assignment.

MEMPHIS, March 28.—Sherwood & Co., wood and willowware, assigned this morning.

Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher is greatly improved today.

Cruel.

Why ought the children of a thief to be burnt? Because their Pa steals (pastiles.) Burns, scalds, cuts, bruises cured by Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. d&w1w

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Justice of the Peace.

J. L. PEAKE.

We are authorized to announce J. L. Peake as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Whereas ten legal voters of the town of Mt. Zion, in Macon county, Illinois, and residents therein, have filed in the office of the town clerk of said town a petition in writing, signed by said legal voters, and addressed to the corporate authorities of said town, praying that an election be called, to submit to the voters of said town the question of issuing the bonds of said town in lieu of certain bonds, heretofore issued by said town to the Chicago and Illinois southern railway company, on the 26th day of December, 1872, under a law of the State of Illinois, entitled "An act, to amend an act, approved April 27th; 1877, entitled, "an act to amend an act, entitled an act relating to county and city d bts, and to provide for the payment thereof, by taxation, in such counties and cities," approved February 13th, 1865, and to amend the title thereof." approved June 4th, 1879, and in force July 1st, 1879, and which petition has been acted upon, and an election ordered:

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given to the legal voters of said town of Mt. Zion, that an election will be held at the town clerk's office in said town, on the

FIFTH DAY OF APRIL, A. D, 1881.

for the purpose of voting for or against the issuing of bonds, by said town, in accordance with the provisions of the statute above mentioned, of the first-class as specified in said act, of the number of sixteen, each bond for the amount of one thousand dollars, with coupons attached, providing for interest on said bonds at the rate of six per cent. per annum, so that the interest shall be paid on the first Monday of July, in each year; and the principal and interest payable at the state treasury, Springfeld, Illinois, and the bonds to run for ten years, or to be paid sooner, at the option of said town; and said bonds to be issued for the purpose of taking up certain legal bonds of said town, numbered one to fifteen, inclusive, together with the accrued interest thereon, issued by said town, on the 26th day of December, 1872, to the "Chicago and Illinois Southern Railway company," to aid in the construction of a railroad, from Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, to Mattoon, Coles County, Illinois.

The polls, at said election, will be opened at eight o'clock in the forenoon and closed at seven o'clock, in the afternoon, of said day.

Given under our hands, this 8th day of March, A. D. 1881.

JAMES H. JONES, Town Clerk of said town of Mount Zion.

R. T. WILLIAMS, Supervisor of said town of Mount Zion.

D. L. Foster, Justice of Peace of said town of Mt. Zion.

Laboring men should never be without a bottle of Trask's Magnetic ointment. Nothing equals it for bruises, cuts, sores, burns, sore throat, lameness, and all inflamation.

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Every purchaser of $5.00 worth of goods from our LARGE and WELL-SELECTED retail stock consisting of

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Will be presented with a ticket entitling the holder to one share in the FREE DISTRIBUTINO of the following prizes:

ONE $50.00 IN GOLD.
" 25 00 " "
" 15.00 " "
" 10.00 " "
" 40. SUIT TO ORDER.
" 25. MAN'S SUIT.
" 25. " OVERCOAT.
" 20. " SUIT.
" 15. " "
" 20. YOUTH'S "
" 20. " OVERCOAT
" 15. " SUIT
" 15. BOY'S OVERCOAT.
" 10. " SUIT.
" 15. PANTS TO ORDER.
" 15. ZINC TRUNK.
" 10. MOROCCO VALISE.
" 40. SEWING MACHINE.
" 20. AMERICAN CHINA QUEEN ANNE DINNER SET, 164 pieces, from E. D. Bartholomew & Co.
" HAWORTH' CHECK ROWER
" BARREL FLOUR from D. S. Shellabarger & Co.
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ONE NIGHT ONLY,

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Natural Singers — Natural Dancers
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Burlesque Jig Acts, Song and Dance Acts!
Flat-Boat Frolics! — Barnyard performances!
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EXHIBITION DRILL PARADE!

Through the principle thoroughfares. See the parade sure.

POPULAR PRICES:

Admission 35 50 and 75 Cents

According to location. Seats secured WITHOUT EXTRA CHARGE at Curtis & Co.'s.

THE MARKETS.

The following are the closing quotations of Chicago prices, as reported at the Print House.

	April.	May.	June.	July.
Wheat	1 00¾	1 00¾	1 0 [illegible]	
Corn	39	43¾	43¾	
Oats	30¾	32¾	32¾	
Lard	10 37	10 37	10 37	
Pork	15 17½	14 27½	14 45	
Rye				
Barley				
Wheat, Toledo	1 08¾	1 10¾	1 10¾	1 05

Decatur Markets.

The following are the current prices in this market paid by dealers except flour which is the price at mills:

FLOUR AT MILL.

White Wheat	3 25
X X X ⅌ cwt	3 05
White Loaf	3 30
Corn Meal, per bush	70

GRAIN.

Wheat, White	95
Corn, per bush	35
Oats, "	30

THE GROCERY.

Sweet Potatoes, per peck	50
White Beans (navy)	[illegible]
Eggs ⅌ doz	18
Butter—Choice Dairy, ⅌ lb	20@25

MEATS.

Cattle—Common, per cwt	3 [illegible]
Hogs—Live, per cwt	4 [illegible]
Calves—Live, per cwt	4 [illegible]
Sheep—Live, per cwt	4 00
Lard per ⅌	9@10
Hams	12

HIDES.

Dry Flint	18@1[illegible]
Green Country	6½
Green Calf	18
Damaged, scored or grubby, two-thirds price.	
Branded, 10 per ct. off.	

POULTRY.

Chickens, live, per doz	2 00
" dressed	25
Turkies per ⅌	5
" " dressed	8

FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKET.

Apples ⅌ bush	1.00
Potatoes	1.00

GRASS SEEDS.

Timothy per bu	1 75
Clover "	4 50

Retail prices charged by dealers within the streets.

HAY.

Timothy, ⅌ ton	10.00
Prairie, "	6.00@8.00
Slough, "	5.00

FUEL.

Hickory, ⅌ cord	4.00@4.50
Oak, "	[illegible]
Coal, soft,	4 00
Coal, hard	5.00

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TUESDAY, MARCH 29, 1881

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Communications to the paper or on business should be addressed to S. S. Jack, Decatur, Ill.

THE democrats of Chicago have nominated a ticket without opposition. The administration of Mayor Harrison has been so satisfactory that there was no excuse for a fight among the democrats. The people generally should vote for "Carter." The ticket is as follows:

"Carter H. Harrison for mayor by acclamation, Rudolph Brand treasurer, Julius S. Grinnell attorney and P. J. Howard clerk."

AN exchange without fear of the editorial lash of Mahone and his new found friends comments as follows on his recent whistle transaction:

"Isn't Mahone ready to agree that he paid dearly for that whistle he bought from the republican party? To sit day after day and be the target at which democratic sharp shooters of the purest water is something that no man can be thick-skinned enough to endure and not suffer. Meanwhile, Mahone has no present prospect of getting his whistle. The republicans sold him an office, but they cannot deliver it.

THE St. Louis *Republican* commenting on state charities compares the expense in Illinois compared with Missouri as follows:

"It cannot be said that the state of Illinois is in any degree illiberal in its dispensation of charities to its unfortunates. Its total appropriations for the support of its nine eleemosynary institutions—four asylums for insane, one institution for feeble-minded, one institution for deaf and dumb, one for the blind and one eye and ear infirmary—amount to $1,901,115. This is for two years. The Missouri appropritions for the five similar institutions in our state—three asylums for the insane, one for the blind and one for the deaf and dumb—amount to $260,000. It is not easy to understand why the Illinois appropriations should be nearly seven times as great as those in Missouri for similar purposes. There is no complaint that the insane, blind and deaf and dumb are insufficiently cared for in our state; the reports of the visiting committee show that the institutions are well maintained, and the inmates provided with all needed comforts."

Such a Refinement not Contemplated.

New York Sun.

Is the use of tobacco consistent with true Christianity? Can a tobacco user be sanctified? Is a tobacco user a fit person to be appointed presiding elder? Can a Christian man who believes the use of tobacco to be sinful conscientiously work in a grocery store where it is sold? To these questions, put to him by inquiring Methodist subscribers, the reverend editor of the New York *Christian Advocate* candidly replies. It doesn't follow that a man is not a christian, he says, because he thinks it right to use tobacco. Many excellent Christians have smoked or chewed all their lives, and nevertheless have "furnished the best evidence of piety, and died in holy triumph." But at this late day, with all the light now thrown upon the effects of tobacco, the editor thinks it improbable, "if not impossible," that any man persisting in its use can attain to the grace of entire sanctification in this life. Yet to say that no tobacco user should be suffered to occupy the higher offices of the Methodist Episcopal church would be, the editor says, "to rule out three fourths of all the presiding elders the church has ever had, and several of its most efficient bishops." Indeed, he thinks it a rather absurd inconsistency that the church should exact from candidates for the ministry a pledge to abstain from tobacco, while leaving the bishops, presiding elders, ministers, stewards, trustees, class leaders, and private members at liberty to smoke, chew or snuff at their own discretion. To the inquiring grocer's clerk the editor replies that the use of tobacco not being essentially sinful, he can safely continue to sell his tobacco to his employer's customers, unless his conscience condemns him for so doing. In that case he must look up a new job. "But we have no doubt," says the editor of the *Christian Advocate*, "that St. Paul never contemplated such a refinement of conscience."

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FOR GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS OF ALL KINDS.

FRUITS,

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Legal Notices.

MASTER'S ALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY } ss

Macon County Circuit Court.

Mary E. Campbell vs. Mary J. Roberts et. al. No. 10817.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term A. D. 1880, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

TUESDAY, THE 12TH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1881,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the West door of the court house, in Decatur in said county, the following described real estate situated in the County of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. six [6] in block No. two [2] in Berry H. Cassell's 1st addition to the City of Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, March 10th, 1881.

JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon Co., Ill.

NELSON & HUNDLEY, solicitors for complainant. d30d

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY } ss

Macon County Circuit Court.

Farmers and Merchants' National Bank of Vandalia Illinois vs. Richard Haselden et al. No. 11097.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term A. D. 1880, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

MONDAY, THE 4TH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1881,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house, in Decatur in said county, the following described real estate situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit: commencing eighteen (18) chains and seventy three (73) links north of the south east corner of the north west quarter of section twenty-four (24), township sixteen (16), north range 2 east of the 3d P. M., thence west twenty [20] chains, and forty-one (41) links, thence south eight (8) chains and (4) links, thence east twenty (20) chains and forty-one (41) links, thence north eight (8) chains and four (4) links to the place of beginning, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, March 5, 1881.

JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon Co., Ill.

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MASTERS' SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

Macon County Circuit Court.

John Trainer, County Superintendent of Schools vs. John A. Cussins, et al.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term A. D. 1880, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

TUESDAY, THE 12TH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1881,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the West door of the Court House, in Decatur in said county, the following described real estate situated in the County of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lots three, (3) four, (4) and five (5) of the east half (½) of the southeast quarter, (¼) of section No. twenty-two (22) in township No. sixteen (16) north range No. two [2] east of the 3rd Principal Meridian, said lots being described by commencing nine (9) chains and eighty-eight (88) links north of the south west corner of said east half of southeast one-fourth [¼] of sec twenty-two [22] town sixteen [16] north range two [2] east above described, thence north twenty-one [21] chains and twenty-five [25] links, thence south sixty-five [65] deg., east five [5] chains and seventy-seven links, thence south forty-five [45] deg., east nine [9] chains and forty-five [45] links, thence south twelve [12] deg., east twelve (12) chains and twenty-eight (28) links to the northeast corner of lot six [6], thence west fifteen [15] chains and twenty-five [25] links to place of commencing containing twenty-three and nine one hundredths (9-100) acres, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, March 10th, 1881.

JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon Co., Ill.

NELSON & HUNDLEY, solicitors for complainant. d30d

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Bunn & Park, Attorneys.]

Whereas Allen Scott and Mary E. Scott, his wife, in order to secure the prompt payment of the money, principal and interest, as specified in one certain promissory note executed by said Allen Scott and bearing even date with the trust deed hereinafter described for the sum of one thousand dollars, payable to Mrs. Mary H. DuBois or order, and falling due two years after date with interest at ten per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, did on the second day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, by their certain trust deed of said date, duly executed acknowledged and recorded in book 35 and page 462 of trust deed records, of Macon county, Ill., grant, bargain, sell and convey to one Jacob J. B. DuBois, then of Decatur, Illinois, as Trustee, and to his legal representative the real estate hereinafter described:

And Whereas it is especially provided among other things in said trust deed, that if default be made in the principal sum or any of the interest on said note that then it shall be lawful, on application of the legal holder of said note, for the said Jacob J. B. DuBois, his attorney, or successor in trust to sell and dispose of said property, including the right of homestead and all right and equity of redemption of the said Allen Scott and Mary E. Scott, after publishing notice, as in said trust deed described, and after paying commission and cost incurred in advertising said sale, including all costs, and moneys advanced for insurance and taxes, with interest thereon at ten per cent per annum, shall pay the principal and interest which shall be due on said note.

That in case of the death, resignation or removal from said county of Macon, or other inability to act of said second party, then James Millikin, of said county shall be, and by said trust deed is appointed successor in trust.

And whereas there has been default in the payment of both principal and interest on said note, and there is now, at this date due on said note for principal and interest the sum of twelve hundred and fifty-nine dollars and forty four cents and the sum of three hundred and two dollars and seventy-seven cents, for money advanced for taxes and interest thereon, and for money due for costs of an adjourned sale the sum of twenty-six dollars and forty-six cents, and whereas the said Jacob J. B. DuBois has removed from the county of Macon and state of Illinois, and application has been made to me by J. M. Rainey, the legal holder of said note to sell said real estate, now, therefore, I James Millikin, by virtue of the power vested in me by virtue of said deed of trust, as successor in trust of said Jacob J. B. DuBois, hereby give notice that on the

SIXTH DAY OF APRIL, A. D., 1881,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the west entrance of the Court House, in Decatur, Illinois, in Macon County I will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the premises conveyed by said Deed of Trust, which said premises are described as follows, to wit: Lots Four (4) and Five (5) in Block Eight (8) in Allen McReynold's and Co.'s addition to the town, now city, of Decatur, situated in the County of Macon and State of Illinois.

Lewis J. Bond appears, or claims to have some interest in said premises, subject, however, to said Trust Deed.

Dated the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1881,

m30d JAMES MILLIKIN, Trustee,

Legal Notices.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOHN WEIGLE, deceased.

Public notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of John Weigle, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term or the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of May, A. D. 1881, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., March 21st, A. D. 1881.

JACOB WEIGLE, Administrator.

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Macon county Circuit Court, to May term, A. D. 1881.

WILLIAM TAYLOR vs. WILLIAM HOUSE, } In Chancery. Bill to compel satisfaction of mortgage.

Affidavit of the non-residence of William House, the defendant, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court, notice is hereby given to the said defendant, William House, that the complainant filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof on the 9th day of February A. D., 1881, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against you said defendant, returnable on the second Monday of May next (after sling.) Now unless you, defendant, shall be and appear before the said court on the first day of the next term thereof to be holden at Decatur in said county on the second Monday of May A. D. 1881, and plead &c. to said bill of complaint, the same will be decided in your absence.

mar5-81-4w E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY. } ss

In the Circuit Court, to the May term A. D., 1881.

JOHN L. JAMISON vs. MARY J. JAMISON. } In Chancery.

AFFIDAVITT of the nonresidence of Mary J. Jamison, the above named defendant, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said court, notice is hereby given to the said defendant, Mary J. Jamison, that the complainant has heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against you, said defendant, returnable on the

SECOND MONDAY OF MAY, A. D., 1881.

Now, unless you, the said Mary J. Jamison, shall be and appear before the said court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held at Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday of May, A. D., 1881, and plead, answer or demurr to said bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

Decatur, Ill., March 21, A. D. 1881.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

NELSON & HUNDLEY, Complainant's Solicitors. m22d4w

REAL ESTATE NOTICE.

Notice of a petition for an order to sell real estate to pay debts.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF MACON. } ss.

In the county court to the April term A. D. 1881.

James D. Tait admr. of the estate of Joseph Spangler dec'd. vs. Daniel Spangler, Susan Hudson, Mary Herrington, Fannie Spangler, Nellie Srangler et. al. } Petition for an order to sell real estate to pay debts.

An affidavit having been filed by the petitioner in the office of the clerk of said court, showing that said defendants reside out of this state and that the place of their residence is unknown to the affiant, notice is therefore given to said defendants that the said James D. Tait has filed his petition in said court praying for an order to sell the following described real estate situated in Macon county, Illinois, to-wit: commencing at a stone ten (10) chains south of the north west corner of the east half of the south west quarter of section nine [9] in township sixteen [16] north, and range three [3] east of the Third Principal meridian, thence east 10.40 chains to a stone, thence south 15.36 chains, thence west 10.44 chains to a stone, thence north 15.36 chains to the place of beginning containing sixteen acres. Also commencing at a stone at the north east corner of section seventeen [17] in township sixteen [16] north and range three east of the Third Principal meridian, thence south 19.85 chains, thence west 10.10 chains, thence north 19.85 chains, thence east 10.10 chains to the place of beginning, containing 19 54-100 acres, to pay the debts and claims against the estate of Joseph Spangler, and the summons in said cause will be returnable at the April term of said court to be holden at the court house in Decatur in said county on the third Monday in April, 1881.

Now, unless you the said Daniel Spangler, Fannie Spangler, Nellie Spangler, Mary Herrington and Susan Hudson shall appear before said court, on the first day of said term thereof, and plead, answer and demur to the said petition, the allegations contained therein will be taken as confessed by you, and an order entered in accordance with the prayer of said petition.

HENRY W. WAGGONER, Clerk of the County Court.

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ANNUAL TOWN MEETING.

Public notice is hereby given to the citizens, legal voters of the town of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, that the annual town meeting for said town will be held at Neptune Hose House in the First District, Benjamin Dill's carpenter shop in the Second District, Rescue Hose House in the Third District, the County Clerk's office in the Fourth District in said town, on

TUESDAY, 5TH DAY OF APRIL NEXT.

being the first Tuesday in said month, for the purpose following, viz:

FIRST—To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

SECOND—To elect One Supervisor, Three Assistant Supervisors, One Town Clerk, One Assessor, One Collector, One Commissioner of Highways, Five Constables, Five Justices of the Peace, Four Overseers of Highways, and as many Pound Masters as the Electors may determine.

[The miscellaneous business of the meeting will be transacted at Rescue Hose House, at 2 o'clock p. m.]

And to act upon any additional subjects which may, in pursuance of law, come before said meeting when convened.

Which meeting will be called to order between, the hours of eight, and nine o'clock in the forenoon and kept open until seven o'clock in the afternoon.

Given under my hand, at Decatur, this 10th day of March, A. D., 1881.

GEORGE P. HARDY, Town Clerk.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF ROBERT HENSON, deceased.

Public notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Robert Henson, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of May A. D. 1881, being the first day of said term.

Decatur Ill., March 26, A. D. 1881.

SARAH HENSON, Administratrix.

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FOR RENT.

Having concluded to retire from business, I want to rent, to a responsible person, my premises on Front street, near depot, Decatur, Ill., formerly kept as a saloon. Also the hotel part in my brick building. Said saloon and hotel being fully and completely furnished. Any person applying therefor shall call on me personally.

Mar25tf M. K. CARROLL. Decatur, Ill.

FOR SALE.

A fresh milch cow. Apply at 23 Orchard street. m15

THE REASON WHY

We can sell DRY GOODS and MILLINERY VERY CHEAP, we own the cheapest stock in this city, bought at a large discount from first cost. All additional purchases SPOT CASH, giving us the benefit of all discounts. We are running under light expense. Have figured right down, and it is a positive fact that it costs us much less percentage on sales than most merchants pay. Stock large, Assortment complete. New and attractive goods received every day. Our active, prompt, reliable way of doing business will be appreciated by this citizens of the lively wide awake city.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.

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W. L. FERGUSON SELLS

The MONITOR & Champion MONITOR

COOK STOVES!

Also, I have a large stock of

HARDWARE and TINWARE

Parties contemplating building, can save money by giving me a call.

Roofing and Sheeting a specialty.

PLACE OF BUSINESS NEAR SHELLABARGER & CO.'S MILL.

m-283m W. L. FERGUSON.

BOSTON

99 CENT STORE!!

24 MERCHANT ST., DECATUR, ILL.

Keep Posted on the Low Prices!!

SILVERWARE.

Butter Dishes, Sugar Bowls, 99c; Pickle Caster, Creamers, 99c; Fine Bottled Casters, plated, 99c; Table Spoons and Forks, 3 for 99c; Roger Bro.'s tripple plated knives, $3.99 per dozen.

JEWELRY.

Every piece warranted as represented, or money refunded. Ladies Sets, pin and drops, 99c; Roll plate Neck Chains and Vest Chains, 99c; Gold Rings and Crosses, Cuff Pins and Buttons.

REVOLVERS.

32-Cal., $1.99; 12-Cal., 99c Warranted first class A No. 1.

GLASSWARE and LAMPS.

Hanging lamp with bracket, all complete, 99c; elegant Bronze standard lamp, 99c.

BAGS and BASKETS.

16, 18 and 20 inch satchels, 99c; Lunch and Market baskets, 25c to 99c: 12, 13 and 14 inch, all leather, 99c; Work stand basket and necessary offices, 99c.

MISCELLANEOUS GOODS.

Comprising, in part, Albums, Velvet and Ebony frames, Pocket-books, Vases, Hair Brushes, Baskets, Mirrors, Meerschaum Pipes, Clocks, Dolls, Japanese ware, Chromos, Gents Hats, Silk Handkerchiefs, Box Stationery, Bird Cages, &c., at prices we guarantee cannot be duplicated.

M. L. IRVIN.

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Harness, Saddles

—AND—

HORSE FURNISHING GOODS.

PLANT & WILLIAMS

Having bought out the entire stock of John W. Tyler, and also that of E. Thomas, have consolidated the two, and will continue business at Tyler's old stand,

NO. 10, WATER STREET.

Our stock embraces HARNESS, SADDLES, WHIPS, CURRY COMBS, and every variety of goods kept in a First Class harness shop, and our prices cannot be undersold by anybody.

☞ Special attention given to repairing. 1138m

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DECATUR REVIEW.

E. S. JACK.

TUESDAY, MARCH, 30, 1880.

Entered as second class mail matter at the Post-office, Decatur, Ill., for transmission through the U. S. Mails.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Township Collector.

J. E. MILLER

will be competed as a candidate for Township Collector.

For Justice of the Peace.

JOHN LINDSAY

is hereby announced as a candidate for Justice of the Peace.

E. RUGGES

is hereby announced as a candidate for Justice of the Peace.

J. Q. A. CODOR

is hereby announced as a candidate for Justice of the Peace.

T. B. ALBERT

is hereby announced as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace.

For Constable

HENRY CHURCHMAN

is hereby announced as a candidate for re-election to the office of Constable.

SAMUEL WEITSEL

is hereby announced as a candidate for re-election to the office of Constable.

Township Assessor.

FRED. SMITH

is hereby announced as a candidate for township assessor.

Overseer of Highways.

G. W. NEWMAN

is hereby announced as a candidate for Overseer of Highways for District No. 3, Decatur, township.

WILLIS JOHNSON, Sen.,

is hereby announced for Overseer of Highways for District, No. 2, Decatur.

Commissioners of Highways.

J. W. FLETCHER,

is hereby announced for Overseer of Highways for District, No. 3, Decatur.

Johnny Campbell, corner of Front and Cerro Gordo streets sells St. Louis beer. mar18tf

Come in and take a look at our breech and muzzle loaders, 10 to 12 pounders, prices below all competition,
KORSMEYER & O'NEILL,

Go to the Delmonico for a dish of fresh oysters, served in the best of style. s2dtf

Two doors east of post office

The genuine New York saddle rock and Baltimore selects, served in any yle, at the Oyster Bay Restaurant No. 8. Water street. Cole & Hodges proprietors. dec22d&w

If you want new furniture made to order or repairing of any kind done call on Butzein & Hausmann, corner North Main and Prairie street. m17dtf

The best is the cheapest, therefore when you buy powder buy the American "dead-shot", at
KORSMEYER & O'NEILL'S,
Two doors east of the post office

If you have any copying to do take it to A. T. Grist's gallery, No. 25 Water street. Prices as low as any gallery. mar19dtf

Another car load of choice Michigan apples just arrived, and for sale by D. H. Hellman, grocer, Old Square. m9-1w

An elegant line of hair goods always kept on hand at Mrs. A. T. Grist's, over F. L. Hays & Co.'s. mar19dtf

Townsend & Brown are now in their new shop on Cerro Gordo street, sign of the big star. They are now ready to do all kinds of wagon and black smith work. mar22 1w.

Builders look to your interests and call on H. Snow at the corner of North Water and Cerro Gordo streets. Examine his cap and anchor iron roofing, and you will have no other. Mar15d&w.

Radcll & Bullard, successor to E S. Aungst & Co.,' undertakers and dealers in all kinds of coffins, burial cases and and caskets. South west corner of old square, residence No. 45 Prairie street, 4½ blocks due west of he tabernacle. feb4w3m

We wish to inform our customers and the public in general that we keep a full line of notions and ladies furnishing goods. A great many of our customers having been misled by parties telling them that we keep millinery goods only, we therefore wish to inform you of the above facts Please call and see our goods in this line as we will offer you specia bargains. BEAR & KINSTEIN. d&wtf

H. Post & Co. call attention to the fact that in connection with the jewelry business they have added a stock of first-class pianos, organs and other musical instruments. They invite the inspection of persons desiring a good piano or organ at a fair price and on reasonable terms. Remember that only goods that will bear the test will be handled by them; Goods that bear a national reputation for excellence of tone and durability. Mar12d&w.

Over the Hills to the Boneyard.

Straight to the boneyard people go who neglect healing the slightest signs of approaching consumption, a hacking cough, but take Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for a cough, cold, sore throat, or any lung complaint, for it quickly cures. For sale at 25 cts. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for man and beast. Price 25 cts. Sold by all druggists. 2dw1w

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3 GRAND EXCURSIONS 3

To south-eastern Kansas, Nebraska, Texas, ArKansas, Colorado, California and Indian Territory, will leave Terrehaute from Union depot, at 7 a. m., on Tuesday, March 29, April 12, and April 26, reaching the following named places: Kansas City, Mo., Olathe, Fredonia, Baxter Springs, Ft. Scott, Gttowa, Iota, Independence, Wellington Kansas, Columbus, and Lincoln Nebraska, and all points in Missouri, Texas, Colorado, ArKansas, and California. Tickets good for 40 days. Reclining chair car run through to Kansas points without change and without extra charge. A free ticket one way is given those who purchase land of us. Free livery for landbuyers and half rate at hotels. If you want to buy a home in Kansas or the west, or if you want to trade your eastern property, address the undersigned who having made 46 trips, is well acquainted with the country, and shows land free of charge. Send for maps and particulars. W. T. LEGGETT, Cor. Fourth and Ohio streets, Terrehaute, Ind. m25

A Card to My Patrons.

Having goods that have been spoiled by the leaking of my roof, and wishing to despose of them in order to fill up for spring trade. I will sell them regardless of cost, and deliver them in any part of the city free of charge. I also buy second hand goods, and will at any time pay cash or trade for the same, and will give more than any other house in town. Farmers will find it to their interest to buy here.

A full line of queens-ware, glassware, stoves and tinware always on hand.

E. HOUSTON,
No. 24, Franklin street, old Revere House Block. 2 25d&wtf.

Sold Out.

Having disposed of my stock in the harness and saddlery business, I desire to effect a settlement with my patrons at the earliest day possible, and this is to notify them that I can be found at the drug store of Walters & Tyler, on the south side of the city park, where I shall be pleased to see my friends. I desire also to say to them that I shall soon resume busines, with a nice new clean stock throughout, embracing every variety of goods in my line of trade, which I shall sell at figures which cannot be discounted here or elsewhere. When again open for business I hope to receive calls from all my former patrons and from hosts of new ones. Respectfully,
jan4d&wtf J. W. TYLER.

Partner Wanted!

I want a partner with at least one thousand dollars to invest in sheep raising in southwest Kansas—the best portion of the United States for the business. A small capital invested in this way before the choice locations are all taken up will insure a fortune. No disease, splendid water, abundance of grass and dry healthy climate. Address *at once*,
CHARLES T. RENSHAW,
Joppa, Harper County, Kansas

Notice.

Peter Perl, the undertaker, has removed his residence from West Wood street to the building two doors south of May's grocery store on South Main street. Calls by night or day will receive prompt attention. Mr Perl has recently purchased this property and will improve it for his permanent home. tf

Look Here!

Ashby & Andress have still on hand ratan chairs, camp chairs, parlor sets, pier glasses, and a lot of superior cooking stoves, all of which are to be closed out at cost, to make room for the goods they are manufacturing. It will pay you to call and see them. f15d&wtf.

Dress Down.

Public sentiment is being turned upside down by the new modes of decorating walls and ceilings. Abel & Locke's new decorator is busy all the time. He is an inventive genius—originates, never imitates. See specimens of his work on the ceilings at Abel & Locke's store. 24d&wtf

A Card.

I have an assortment of gas fixtures, chandeliers, store pendents, brackets and globes which I will sell at cos price, to close out the stock.
d&w H. MUELLER,

Read This.

J. Barrick, of Blue Mound, Ill., is manufacturing the boss checkrower, It runs with a smooth rope, and farmers standing in need of a check rower should see the machine before purchasing elsewhere. d&w1t

Well Fixed.

Pencil writing may be fixed almost indelibly by passing the moistened tongue over it Invalids can be cured of dyspepsia and its attendant horrors by using Spring Blossom. Prices: $1., 50 cents, and trial bottles 10 cents. d&w1w

Every Inch a King.

Its the man with the rheumatism that is every inch a king, [aching] Its Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, is king of remedies, for all such aches. d&w1w

Don't fail to call and see those Pantaloon Paterns (spring styles) just received at J. Foley's. feb4dtf

Why Don't Hungry

Hungry roosters don't crowds when they find a worm: but everybody does after trying one of the Bone Hog and Animal Conquerors. Manufactured by Bewig, Hunter & Vogt, Decatur, Ill. Price, $1. warrant

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For nice butter go to E. B. Pratt's 37 North Church street. f17d&w1m

Those elegant new organs at Prescotts are all tho go. Dont fail to see them.

Hair work done to order at millinery and hair store of Miss Emma Williams on Prairie street. second door from Water. d&w-2m

New goods just received at Veale's, Prairie street. Irish New York French cutter. mar13 1w

Complete line of lady's and men's satchels from the common to the best grades. KEELER.

Ladies' misses and children's shoes of all kinds and qualities at C. W. Challis' post office block. d&wtf

A new and select stock of millinery just received by miss Emma Williams, south side of Prairie street, second door from Water. d&w-2m

If you want a new wagon or buggy call on Townsend & Brown, sign or the big star. mar22 1w

Fred Amos, Tyler street, Rochester, writes Your Spring Blossom is wonderful, I never used anything that acted so well on the bowels, and at the same time was so free from the drastic properties of medicines usually sold for the purpose Prices $1, 50 cents, and trial bottles 10 cents d&w1w

A GREAT MAN'S HUMILITY.

A Story About Abe Lincoln's Poor Opinion of Himself.

[G. W. Carter, of Cincinnati.]

The Republicans of Cincinnati, in the year 1859, invited plain Abraham Lincoln, of Illinois, to this city to make a political speech in reply to one that had been made here a short time before by Stephen A. Douglas.

This was some time after the famous campaign of Lincoln and Douglas in the State of Illinois, and by which both acquired and maintained so great a national reputation, which Lincoln never had before, but the reputation of Douglas had long since become national from his career in the United States Senate. Douglas had been here, and had made a very great Democratic speech, and the Republicans thought it quite necessary that the great effect of it should be modified and ameliorated by a speech from his own home rival, Mr. Lincoln.

So Lincoln was invited, and he came, arriving on the early evening of September 17, 1859, and he was duly escorted to his well-prepared quarters at the Burnett House by a Republican committee. At 7 30 o'clock a long procession, headed by Menter's famous brass band, reached the Burnett House, and there taking Mr Lincoln along with them, marched to the Fifth Street Market space, and there, from the balcony of Mr Kinsey's house, above his store, Mr Lincoln made one of the best political speeches of his life to the immense concourse of his fellow citizens assembled to hear him for the first time.

I was living at the Burnett House at the time, and Governor Thomas Corwin had been living there for several months, and he proposed to me to accompany him up to the meeting to hear enough of Lincoln's speech to get the tenor and run of it so that we might be able to talk about it with the orator after it was all over, for Mr. Corwin had arranged for Mr Lincoln to spend a good portion of the night with them in his own room at the Burnett House, and had personally invited me to be one of the company I went with Mr. Corwin, and standing on the market space with the rest of the audience, we listened with great interest to Mr Lincoln from the beginning to the end of his eloquent and thoroughly politically practical speech, for we could not get away from his eloquence.

The night was calm and beautiful, the atmosphere balmy and delightful, and the clear, loud, penetrating tones of Old Abe's voice (for he was called "Old Abe" even then, reached to all points of the extended market space, and any one there could plainly hear everything he said. I full remember the modest and humble beginning of his great speech:

"Fellow-citizens," said he in a very sincere manner and a plain tone of voice, "this is the first time I ever undertook to speak to the people inhabiting so large a city, and I am not in the habit of making speeches in so big a city, and therfore I hope I will be excused for any errors or blunders that I may make before so large a meeting."

This was truly a humble beginning, and the very simplicity and homespun manner and mehtod of hisexordium commanded at once the attention of the people, and for full two hours that vast concourse listened to him without interruption, save by their own applause. After he was through, Mr. Corwin being seen in the crowd, was called for, but he did not make a speech, on account of the lateness of the hour. He properly excused himself.

Mr. Corwin and I wended our way back to the Burnett House, and waited the arrival of Mr. Lincoln in the office, and after his friends and admirers had left him at the Burnett House, we approached him, and by his invitation, accompanied him to a private room, No 15, on the first floor, adjoining the large hall of the office, and took seats with him.

It was now about 11 o'clock at night, but Mr. Lincoln showed no signs of exhaustion or fatigue; on the contrary, he was lively and cheerful, and full of talk and fun. He ordered three whisky punches for his guests and himself, and we soon began on them; and then there came a flood of dramatic anecdotes from Corwin, some stories from me, and a deluge, of dry anecdotes (is this is not a paradox) from old Abe. He sat in his chair, with his feet and long legs upon and over the center-table, and he began his dry stories in his dry way, and kept Mr. Corwin and myself for several hours in entertainment and hilarity. I had heard of Mr. Lincoln as a story-teller, but I never knew that he was such a serious, sincere, earnest, funny one as he showed himself that night. He beat Corwin all hollow, and Mr. Corwin remarked to me that he would yield the palm of story-telling to Mr. Lincoln. But our interview was not all story-telling. There was a good deal of serious political talk and philosophical reflection, and some personal talk, and of this last I desire to take particular notice, as manifesting in a marked degree the thorough simplicity, humility, and modesty of character of Abraham Lincoln.

"Well, Mr. Lincoln" said Mr. Corwin, "the people begin seriously to talk about you as a candidate for the presidency"

Mr. Lincoln—"Oh, that is all talk of some enthusiastic friends of mine in Illinois. There is nothing in it, Mr Corwin, there is nothing in it."

Mr. Corwin—"Oh! but there is. The talk is not confined to the State of Illinois, but it is all over the country. You have enthusiastic friends all over the country who are talking of you for the presidency."

Lincoln—"Oh! the talk is not serious at all; it is just an enthusiastic impulse, and I don't mind it."

Corwin—"But it is serious, and as the convention of the Republicans will assemble early next year, it is the purpose to place your name before the convention for the presidency, and they will perhaps nominate you."

Lincoln—"What! nominate me, when there are such great men as Seward and Chase in the field."

Corwin—"There is the very point; the friends of Chase and Seward are already up in arms against each other, and who so fit to come in and reconcile all the interests and antagonisms of the contending friends of these candidates?"

Lincoln—"So you really think there is a chance for me? Well, Mr. Corwin, I don't think there is anything in it, and the fact is. I don't encourage the idea, and shall not encourage the idea, for I have no ambition to be president. That never entered my head. Indeed, Mr. Corwin, I do not think I am fit to be president of these United States. I have not the requisite ability. I am not competent to fill the presidency. I can not compare in anything with Chase and Seward. Now, I tell you what—I am willing to run for vice president, if the convention will nominate me for that, and the Republican party is willing, I think, with a little study of Cushing's Manual, I might acquire enough knowledge to sit in the chair of the vice president, and preside over the deliberations of the Senate. You know it does not require a great genius to do that, and this I think I could be capable of with a little extra study."

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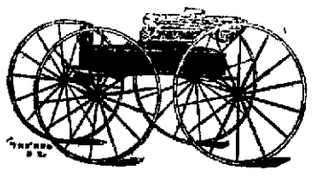

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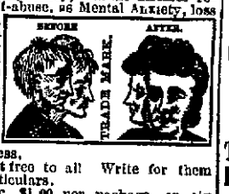

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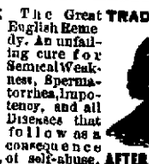

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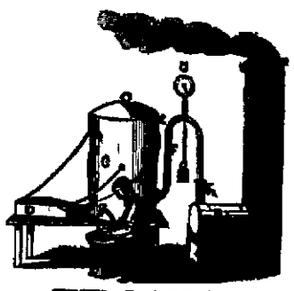

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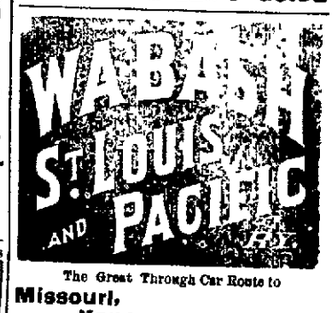

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Keep your eyes open for the grand street parade of Haverley's minstrels. Fifty gorgeously uniformed men in line led by the celebrated colored band.

A furious snow storm was raging in Chicago last night, and the people of that city are probably wallowing in twelve inches of the "beautiful" this morning.

The festive school boy came from refreshment to labor with some degree of reluctance on yesterday morning. One week for play was a rather limited period.

W. R. Tappan, contractor and builder, Toledo, Ohio, says: An Excelsior Kidney Pad relieved me of pain in the side of fifteen years' standing Please send me another Pad.—*See Adv.*

The street scraper was put to work yesterday morning, where the streets were dry enough to operate it to advantage. In many places there was yet two much water to allow of its use.

School Superintendent Trainer made the REVIEW office a pleasant call on Monday. He reports about half of the country schools already closed, and the batance of them as approaching their end.

We call special attention to what ex-Sheriff Forstmyer has to say to the people of Decatur through the columns of the REVIEW this morning. Those who may favor Martin with a call, may rest assured of a square deal. Call and see him.

Mr. M. B. Thomas has broken ground on Jackson street, directly across the way from St. Patrick's Catholic church, for two dwelling houses, which will be pushed forward to completion with as much dispatch as possible.

Mr. Hubbard on north Main street has already commenced operation, on the two dwellings which he is to build on his home lot the present season. They will be pushed forward to completion with all possible dispatch.

Sheriff Foster left Decatur on Sunday night by the 10.40 train for Danville, for the purpose of bringing here the fellow who struck one of the railroad yard men here with a coupling pin, and he was back with his man by the 4:35 train on Monday morning.

We would call attention to the change of ad. of Messrs. Hatch & Bro. on our second page. These gentlemen have had a large business experience, and promise to sell as low as the lowest. Call and see them. They will welcome you to their store even if you do not buy.

C. C. Burroughs, of the Union Iron Works is about to raise his residence at the corner of North Main and William streets. The blocks are already on the ground and the work is to be proceeded with at once. The house will be raised 18 inches, and the yard will be filled somewhat to correspond with the elevation of the house.

Willis Johnson is this morning announced as a candidate for overseer of highways in district No. 2, Decatur township. Mr. Johnson is one of our substantial farmers. He does not seek the office for its emoluments, but with the aim of improving the roads of his district. Voters will not make a mistake in casting their ballots for Willis Johnson.

Ex-Marshal Baker seems to be enjoying his respite from official responsibilities, and after a few weeks of rest and recreation he will lay his hand to some kind of business here in Decatur. We are glad he does not propose to leave the city, for he is one of the kind of people that good communities like to have about.

Dr. R. L. Walston, proposes to move the house in which he now lives, from its present place fronting on north Main street to the vacant lot east of his office fronting on North street. When that is done we shall not be surprised to see the Doctor putting up on the site of his present residence a much finer house than the one now there.

Under the head of announcements will be found the name of James L. Peake as a candidate for re-election to the office which he has filled with such universal acceptance for the last four years. Since his election as a Justice of the Peace, he has had a large run of business, including both criminal and civil cases, and in his decisions and rulings has shown a thorough knowledge of the law and excellent judgment. Mr. Peake is the candidate of no party, but of the people, and if elected will in the future as in the past, aim to do his duty irrespective of party lines.

CORRESPONDENCE.

WASHINGTON, March, 27th, 1881.

That the aggressive Mr. Blaine really had assurances, before entering the Cabinet, that he should control the political affairs of the administration, is plain now. It seemed to be so as soon as the Cabinet, made up for the most part of men of negative power and small prominence as partizans, was announced. Prior even to that a month before the inauguration one of Mr. Blaines friends told your correspondent that the offer of the secretaryship of state had been made, but had not been accepted and would not be until Blaine knew whether he was to be buried or whether he was to be allowed to help himself by its acceptance. The nomination of Robertson as collector of the port of New York, and of Wm. Walter Phelps to an important place abroad is what confirms this remark of Blaine's friend. No two men could be named, except Blaine and Hayes, who are more distasteful to the New York Senator. If he does not fight against their confirmation it will be because he knows he would be defeated. But as long as he remains in public life he will be an enemy of Garfield, and he will only await an opportunity of making his enmity felt.

What Tilden said on the fifth of March—that Garfield would have the stormiest administration in twenty years—seems likely to turn out the simple thuth.

The pressure for the foreign appointments is unprecedented. Nearly every ex-member of congress thinks he should have a comfortable consulate where there is nothing to do but draw the pay. In the way of would be governors of the territories, there are a dozen applicants for each place. CARROLL.

ILLIOPOLIS, March 28, 1881.

One week of weather.

May she still shine.

Mr. Shephard, of Decatur, was in town Monday.

We heartily endorse Elder Fords' plan and would that every church and organization do likewise.

The entertainment at the Christian church Sunday evening was a grand success.

B. H. Kendall has bought a new engine for his works. It will be in running order in about two weeks.

Grubb says he will die before he will be a town council. YOUNG.

ILLIOPOLIS, March 28, 1881.

EDITOR REVIEW.—The children belonging to the Christian Sunday school gave a very pleasant concert last evening. Singing by the school was good, George Richardson leading and Mrs. Will McClintock, presiding at the organ. John Yarman read the 19th, Psalm with a great debl of feeling. Brother Ingles led in prayer. Miss Jennie Taylor's class of boys did very nicely, as also did Miss Jennie herself in her reading of "A Lesson Learned from the poor and Humble." The little girls in Miss Mattie Panlook's class, recited very prettily their little piece on 'Missions." Miss Ella Hampton's class of boys deserve great credit. Little Misses Bertha Richardson, Addie Hamilton and Mintie Ishmael, each spoke a stanza of the song "The Great Teacher," singing the chorus together. Herbert Smith recited "The boy who never told a lie." Harley Dake did well. Little John Johnson, must not be discouraged but try again. Bertha Richardson seemed a little spirit while singing "Mother meet me at the Gate." Little Charlie Greer always does well. Essay, "The two Futures," Miss Doty Enlow, well done. Miss Ada Smith read "Happiness" as if she knew the meaning of it, and Miss Ollie Gilbert read the selection as if she wished people would mind their own affairs." If these young ladies would speak louder it would sound even better. Cards were then given to those who had been regular in their attendance for the past quarter. This Sunday school is conducted entirely by young ladies. Miss Juha Warren is the superintendent. The children will give another concert in June.

Mrs. George Richardson and Mrs. J. Capps are improving.

Moving begins this week.

Misses Julia Warren and Jennie Taylor expect to start to Kentucky next week.

Mrs. Will Crulkshanks is paying her sister Mrs. C. S. Cleveland a visit. FRANK.

An Immense Affair.

That is preisely what the entertainment given by Haverly's minstrels is. The Boston *Advertiser* gives the following glowing description of the company's performance in that city:

"Haverly's minstrels occupied the stage of the Howard last night, and were greeted by one of the largest audiences that ever filled that theatre. It was with difficulty that even standing room could be obtained after the rise of the curtain. The company on this occasion fully sustained the high reputation which it has obtained in times past, all the old attractions being presented, besides several absolute novelties. Billy Kersands, James Bland, Bob Mack and his educated chicken, and Bohee Brothers, and a score of other genuine colored performers, kept the audience in almost continuous laughter.

On Wednesday evening, this mammoth troupe will entertain Decatur people.

PERSONAL.

Rev. Mr. Goode, of Harristown, was in the city yesterday.

Bro. O'Banion, of the Maroa *News*, was in the city yesterday.

State Senator Moffett stopped a few hours in town yesterday, on his way to Springfield.

Mrs. Wm. Nail, on the corner of Orchard and Webster streets, is severely sick with measles.

James Butts, on Orchard street, has another sick child at his house. This is the third within a week.

"Uncle" Henry Traughber, of Mt. Zion, is quite sick, and his recovery is considered very doubtful.

Mrs. Dr. W. J. Chenoweth, who is dangerously sick with pneumonia, was reported slightly better last night.

Hons. B. K. Durfee and Jason Rogers returned to Springfield yesterday to resume their legislative duties.

A Silver Wedding.

Yesterday was the twenty-fifth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Priest, of this city, which event occurred in Littleton, Mass. A few days ago a few of their immediate friends arranged a surprise for them in honor of their twenty-five years of married life. The company, to the number of about fifty, met in the Reform club room, in the tabernacle, early in the evening, and after completing certain arrangements proceeded together to Priest's hotel, and at once took possession. While taken by surprise, the many guests were heartily welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Priest, who did the honors with perhaps less diffidence than twenty-five years ago. After a time spent in social enjoyment there was a call to the dining room, where tables had been arranged with good things for the entire company. A part of the ceremonies of the evening were. Prayer by Rev. W. H. Crissy; the reading of a poem by Miss Florence Converse, of Springfield; an address by Rev. Dr. Davies, (presenting to Mr. and Mrs. Priest a fine silver pitcher, a silver clock, silver spoons, etc.,) which was full of pith and very appropriate.

Among those present were Henry Converse and wife, John Priest and wife, Dr. A. L. Converse and Misses Florence and Anais Converse, all of Springfield; Rev. Dr. Davies and wife, Rev. W. S. Crissey, Rev. E. C. Headle, Rev. J. C. Potts, Hon. J. S. Post, Col. H. W. Rowell and wife, Capt. W. E. Bingham and wife, John Brayton and wife, Reed Spencer and wife, L. F. Muzzy, esq., J. D. Tait, D. C. Corley, esq., Mrs. John Imboden, Mrs. J. G. Starr, Mr. and Mrs. Will Starr, Miss Sarah Baldwin, of Bloomfield, N. J., Mrs. Wright, J. R. Miller and wife, J. H. Miller, Mrs Lyman King, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mason, W. E. Hubbard, Allen Scott and wife, Mr. Babb and wife, Mrs. D. Hamsher, Misses Davies, Hattie Brown and Laura Floyd and others.

The occasion was a very pleasant one and a compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Priest which they highly appreciate.

For Commissioner of Highways.

J. W. Fletcher is this morning announced as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, and solicits the support of the voters of the township without regard to party. Mr. Fletcher lives in the southwest corner of the township, has been raised on a farm, and fully understands the requirements of the office to which he aspires. Should he be elected he promises a faithful performance of duty.

Mr. Thos. L. Antrim has also received the nomination of his party for the office above named. He is well known in the city as one of our active mechanics, and having been nominated, says he will be glad of the support of the voters of the township.

Held to Bail.

Yesterday morning Sheriff Foster returned from Danville, where he went after "Joe" Fitzpatrick, having hit man in custody, and committed him to jail. In the afternoon of yesterday the prisoner was brought before justice Albert under a charge of assaulting William Wright with a deadly weapon on Saturday night in the depot yard in this city. Accused waived an examination and was held to bail in the sum of 500 dollars for his appearance at the May term of our circuit court. In default of bail he was recommitted to jail. Mr. Wright, the injured man, was some better yestarday, but is by no means out of danger.

Bad Accident.

On Friday Morning March the 25 Mrs. John W. Gepford was going to her father-in-laws Mr. George Gepfords, residing eight miles north west of this city, and the mules became frightened at a large rock which had been placed at the gate for the convience of Mr. Gepford in mounting his horse easily, and the annimals ran and threw Mrs. Gepford out of the buggy hurting her arm very badly but we hope not seriously. The mules ran to the barn and were caught by Brack Huffaker and Dave Gepford who were in the stable at the time of the accident. Let this be a warning to young husbands not to allow their wives the privilege of driving mule teams in the absense of their husband.

Go to A. J. Stoner's for Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes. For brightness and durability of color are unequaled. Color from ½ to 5 pounds. Price, 15 cents.

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Do not fail to see this stock before you buy anything in this line Dec8

Lecture by Ann Eliza Young.

This excellent and gifted woman is to lecture at the opera house in this city, on the evening of Friday, April 1st. The press of those cities where Mrs. Young has lectured is most enthusiastic in extolling her abilities, and expressing confidence in her purity and uprightness The following is from the Buffalo Christian Advocate:

This lady recently lectured in this city at Grace church. The audience was a large, profitable, intelligent and deeply attentive one, and highly pleased with the lecture. The lecture was upon "Mormonism, its Social, Political and Religious Life," and gave a clear and definite description of the western moral abomination. Her language was chaste, modest and simply elegant, beautifully appropriate in narrative and appeal. The lecturer, an intellectual, refined, sensitive and struggling Christian woman, had the sympathy of her hearers, disarming all prejudice and making many friends for her cause and herself by her womanly appearance and spirit, and the quiet, tender pathos with which she told her story. Mrs. Young has no reason to feel ashamed of her ability and success as a lecturer, and those who hear her will always welcome her return.

Spiritualism Examined.

Dr. J. K. Bailey, of Michigan, is in the city and is giving a series of lectures on Spiritualism at the Reform Club room in the tabernacle. His lectures yesterday were upon "What is Spiritualism," and "Spiritualism and the Bible." The lectures will be continued on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, 29th, 30th and 31st inst. at the same place. Subject, Tuesday evening, "Spiritualism or materialism — Which?" Wednesday evening, "The Spiritual Body, its Laws and Relations." Thursday evening, "Laws of Mind—What is Mesmerism?" All are cordially invited; admission free.

Drawing.

A "drawing" took place at M. McGinty's on Saturday night for a $35. marble top bureau. Thirty-five numbers were sold at $1.00 each. Jimmy Veale, the "Frenchman from Ireland" was the lucky man, and "13" the lucky number. Jimmy's wife was made glad yesterday by the appearance of the useful ornament in her bed room.

Card.

In behalf of the Young Men's Christian Association, I wish to express hearty thanks to Prof. Condell and the Ladies and Gentlemen composing the Choir, for their valuable services on the occasion of our anniversary meeting.

I. J. DAVIS, Gen. Secy.

At Rest.

The funeral of Mrs. Joseph D. Wykle took place at the family residence in Decatur, on Monday forenoon at 10 o'clock, Rev. W. H. Prestley officiating. The last sad rites called together a large number of neighbors and friends who deeply sympathize with the bereaved husband and the surviving children. Deceased had been a member of the Presbyterian church for fifty years, and was a most estimable christian lady. As indicated in the advance notice of the funeral the remains were taken to Wykle's cemetery about four miles west of town.

DIED.

RHODES.—At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. M. Boyd, on Monday, March 28, 1881, Mrs. Rosina Rhodes, aged 84 years. Funeral will take place on Wednesday at 2 p. m

The coal shaft is progressing but slowly now owing to the very hard vein of flint rock through which the workmen are passing About a foot per day is the best that can be done while in this vein. Operations are steadily pushed forward and will be until the vein of coal thick enough to work is reached.

Take her up tenderly, handle with care,
Fashioned so slenderly, so young and so fair;
Oh it was pitiful in a whole city full,
None knew enough to cure her dyspeptic despondency by getting her
Some Spring Blossom.
Price, $1., 50cts, and trial bottles 10cts.
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Chas. L. Rossiter, 195 Summit street, Toledo, Ohio, says: I would not take one thousand dollars for my Excelsior Kidney Pad, if I could not get another. I have gained in three months thirty pounds.—*See Adv.*

The work of scraping and leveling the streets will be vigorously pushed now should the weather continue favorable.

Wm. H. Pullen, Fowerville, Mich., says: I have not rested better for months than I did last night. The "Only Lung Pad" has helped me wonderfully.—*See Adv.*

An elegant line of baskets, wall pockets and towel racks just received at the 99c store. Mar. 28th.

Miscellaneous.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.

A U. S. Standard weight—164 lbs.—20th return of the same at once is requested.
GEO. V. LOSHBO,
mar14-1w County Clerk's Office.

For Sale.

FOR SALE. Two lots in S. S. Jack's addition of one hundred feet each, south side of Eldorado street. They are the [illegible] old rolling mill. Inquire of E. W. Fitch, agents, or at this office.

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